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CLAIM TO PRIORITY

Sir:

Applicant hereby claims priority under the International Convention and all rights to which he is entitled under 35 U.S.C. § 119 based upon Japanese Priority Application No. 10-305230, filed October 27, 1998.

A certified copy of the priority document was filed in parent Application No. 09/425,007 on January 19, 2000.

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Respectfully submitted,

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